27th December 1956]

Sri A. GOVINDASWAMY NAYAGAR : On a point of order, Sir, ஆளும் கட்சியை சேர்ந்த அரங்கநாதன் கேட்ட கேள்விக்கு பதில் சொல்லி விட்டு, என்னுடைய கேள்விக்கு பதில் சொல்லாமல இருப்பதின் காரணம் என்ன ?

DEPUTY SPEAKER : It is not a point of order.

Sri K. ARANGANATHAN : Sir, on a point of order . . .

DEPUTY SPEAKER : When the Deputy Speaker is on his legs, no point of order can be raised.

[*Note.*—An asterisk (*) at the commencement of a speech indicates revision by the Member.]

II.—ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE DEPUTY SPEAKER.

(1) MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : I have to announce to the House the following messages, dated 26th December 1956, received from the Governor of Madras :—

1. " In pursuance of Article 207, clause (1), read with Article 199 (1) (*d*) of the Constitution of India, I, A. J. John, Governor of Madras, hereby give my recommendation to the introduction in the Madras Legislative Assembly of the Madras Appropriation (No. 6) Bill, 1956, and in pursuance of clause (3) of Article 207, I also recommend to that Assembly the consideration of the said Bill.

2. In pursuance of Article 207, clause (1) read with Article 199 (1) (*d*) of the Constitution of India, I, A. J. John, Governor of Madras, hereby give my recommendation to the introduction in the Madras Legislative Assembly of the Madras Appropriation (Vote on Account) Bill, 1956, and in pursuance of clause (3) of Article 207, I also recommend to that Assembly the consideration of the said Bill."

(2) MESSAGE FROM THE COUNCIL.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : I have also to announce to the House the following message, dated 24th December 1956, received from the Hon. Chairman, Madras Legislative Council :—

" In accordance with rule 130 of the Madras Council Rules, I return the Madras Inams (Assessment) Bill, 1956 (L.A. Bill No. 36 of 1956), as passed by the Council on the 24th December 1956 without any recommendation and signed by me."

III.—STATEMENT UNDER RULE 40 OF THE ASSEMBLY RULES *RE*

(1) ADVERSE EFFECT ON IRRIGATION IN RAMANATHAPURAM DISTRICT CONSEQUENT ON DRINKING WATER BEING MADE AVAILABLE TO MADURAI TOWN FROM THE VAIGAI RESERVOIR PROJECT.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : I will first take up the notice under rule 40. Then I will take up the Privilege Motion.